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WINNERS OF TIMES PRIZES IN THE WHITE DOT CONTEST

W. Oliver Howes Takes First and Gets Upright Piano.

Albert Hart Sole Possessor of "It," the Simian.

Thomas J. Stockton Will Visit the St. Louis Exposition.

The correct number of dots is

The state of expectancy which has enveloped more than 6,000 people who participated in The Times' great dot counting contest, which closed a week ago last night, is dissipated by the announcement of the result, which is published today, and those who have won the valuable prizes offered by The Times for the first and last best answers, respectively, will no doubt have a busy day receiving the congratulations of their friends upon being successful in the greatest newspaper contest which has ever been conducted by a Washington newspaper.

It is natural that those who have not won will feel more or less disappointed when they find that their names are not among the winners, because the array of prizes was such as to invite a desire to possess one of them, from everybody who list; and whether those who did not in the dress goods department of Lanswin failed to find the right number, turgh's store, and had just returned to apologized, coming back to the parlor, followed by all his brothers and sisters. or found it and were later than their competitors in getting it registered for the prizes for the first correct answers, or earlier than those who registered the correct counts for the answers, or earlier than those who registered the correct counts for the prizes for the last correct estimates, than worked hard and presidents.

"Won the plano?" he asked blankly as soon as he had regained the power of speech. "The first prize? Well, that is good. I had never dared to hope they worked hard and manifested the same spirit of enterprise as those who have come out ahead. However, in this, as in every other competition, only a certain number can win, and having won, they are entitled to all the credit and satisfaction that belong to the victors in an exciting contest.

day of the contest, nearly 1,400 guesses were registered, over 200 of which were received between 9:30 p. m. and mid-

The closing of the contest was so full of excitement that many contestants, who were unable to reach the desk where the solutions were being received, threw their estimates over the counter while others climbd up on the window sills and begred to how their stills are the solutions were being received, three the solutions were being received, the following statement in connection with the reports concerning again by the unanimous action of the Commissioner.

threw their estimates over the counter while others climbd up on the window stills and begged to have their counts taken. The rush was participated in not only by Washington people, but by many who came from a distance to be present when the contest closed, J. B. Lane, of Fredericksburg, Va., was one of those who visited Washington purposely to be on hand with a count at midnight, and he managed to get it in so as to entitle him to the main prize for the last correct estimate.

Forty-two Prizes.

By the arrangoment of the prize list the flast correct estimates. This makes those who submitted the last and next to the last correct estimates. This makes those who submitted the first analysing the correct estimates, reckoning from the first answers submitted, the first answers submitted, the solon the end of the list. In all there were forty-two prizes offered, two having been added toward the close of the contest for those who submitted the third and fourth last correct estimates, reckoning from the end of the list. In all there were forty-two prizes offered, two having been added toward the close of the contest for those who submitted the third and fourth last correct estimates reckending from the last anaway received. The order in which the first answers submissioner of witnesses were seamined, and the last four, with the names and addressess of the contest and a difference of opinion as to the member of the first answer received. The order in which the first answer received. The order in which the first answer received and the last four, with the names and addressess of the contest and self-addresses of the contest four, which the mames and addressess of the contestants, is as follows:

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This evidence was given in an extraction

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2. Charles A. Appel, 369 Esiin ave, nw.
3. Lincoln B. Smith, 1832 Oregon ave.
4. F. H. Melick, 655 7th st. ne.
5. Thomas J. Stockton, 1846 2d st, nw.
6. Charles W. Vanderslice, 1400 K st. se,
7. Leroy W. Herron, 1847 Pars st. nw.
8. John S. Mansuy, 622 11th st. ne.
9. John Poole, Washington Loan- and
Trust Company.
10. Harry H. Hurlbert, 25 Seaton st. nw.
11. Albert Harrt, 476 F st. sw.
12. R. H. Môses, 1016 I st. nw.
13. W. E. Hutton, 1,68 New York ave. nw.
14. P. D. Breen, 1631 5th st. ne.
15. Robert Flynn, 1904 7th st. nw.
16. Miss Juliet Hollinberger, 561 B st. se.
17. Mrs. C. E. Morse, 308 5th st. ne.
18. Austin H. Brown, 1830 8th st. ne.
19. F. D. Plerce, 2717 Washington Circle
20. Miss Freda Bovce, 733 7th st. nw.
21. Laura M. McCarthy, 633 4th st. ne.
22. C. L. Hammond, 824 8th st. nw.
23. Chas. J. Berner, 104 L st. nw.
24. Wm. T. Gibson, 2114 E st. nw.
25. Edward Cole, 810 2d st. se.

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The Prize Winners.

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First prize, Knabe Upright Piano-W. Oliver Howes, 619 Pickford Place

Secord prize, a Diamond Ring, value \$100-Charles A. Appel, 3409 Eslin Avenue northwest.

Third prize (for last correct answer), a Gold Watch, value \$75-H. B. Lane, Fredericksburg, Va. Fourth prize (for next to last correct answer), Drop-Head Sewing Ma-

chine, value \$60-S. H. Lilly, 721 First Street northwest. Fifth prize, order for \$25 Suit of Clothes-Lincoln B. Smith, 1832 Ore-

Sixth prize, a Morris Chair-F. H. Melick, 636 Seventh Street north-

Seventh prize, Round-Trip Ticket to St. Louis-Thomas J. Stockton,

Eighth prize, Bicycle-Charles W. Vanderslice, 1400 K Street northeast. Ninth prize, \$5 Account People's Bank-Lercy W. Herron, 1417 Park

Tenth prize, a Silk Umbrella-John S. Mansay, 622 Eleventh Street

Eleventh and Twelfth prizes, Year's Subscription to Evening and Sunday Times-John Pocle, Washington Loan and Trust Company; Harry H.

Hurlbert, 25 Seaton Street northwest. Thirteenth prize, "IT," a South African Monkey-Albert Hart, 476 F

Fourteenth to Thirty-fourth prizes Bound Volumes "American Home Culture"-To those sending in, respectively, from the twelfth to the thirtysecond first correct answers. (See names in list.)

Thirty-fifth to Fortieth prizes, a Swiss Miniature Clock. (See names

Extra prizes, for the third and fourth last correct answers-A Round-Trip Ticket to St. Louis, A. C. Wright, 637 Florence Street northeast; Mrs. E. A. Lang, 115 Maryland Avenue northeast.

Notified of Success, Mr. Howes Is Amazed

When W. Oliver Howes, of 619 Pickford Place northeast, was notified of Times is here. I've got the plano."
his success last night by a Times restopped long enough to read the poster, he was for a few moments cheers and cries of delight from the list, and whether those who did not clumb with amazement. He is a clerk upper stories of the house.

"Frank! Emma! A man from The

ontest."
Mr. Howes later said he had several offers for the piano, but he thought he would keep it.
"I can put it in the parlor and let my sisters use it," he explained.

Macfarland Replies To General Boynton

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Commissioner Macfarland last night | exonerated and the Board of Education

WILL GO UNPLEDGED

Frank Libbey & Co., 6th & N. Y. Ave.-

CHURCH RECOVERS RICH MINING CLAIMS

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 16.—The slate indorced by Mayor Tom L. Johnson was ratified at the Democratic convention in the Twentieth Congressional district, held today.

The delegates elected were instructed not to vote for either Hearst or Parker, which is taken to mean that the 3-centlare advocate will have a candidate himself when the St. Louis convention is called to order.

Best Baards, \$1.50 Per 100 Feet.

Frank Libbey & Co., 6th & N. Y. Ave.—Adv.

the present owners must surrender both mine and product.

UPON SUFFRAGE

the Forthcoming Primaries.

BOTH PARTIES AGREED DANGER OF VANDALISM

Commissioners and Then Demand Representation.

Leaders of both the Republican and Democratic parties in the District have frage, and the matter will be given uch attention in the primary elections. While former attempts to obtain a re-turn to the ballot have failed, the leaders are of the opinion that President Roosevelt and Congress are favorably

There are several bills how in Corgress on the subject, and another has been prepared for introduction. It has not been decided what method of pro-cedure will be followed. There is some talk of a conference of both parties, and probable vote of the citizens in both primaries. It has been suggested that the official ballots contain some sort of a device by which every voter can be

heard on the subject.
The new bill which has been prepared with the consent of the Norris central committee is in the hands of M. S. Scanlon, or of the committee, who is troduced in Congress or not.

Democrats Discuss It.

The Democrats discussed the question at the meeting yesterday in the office of Chairman Edwin Sefton, of the elec-tions commission, between Secretary J. Fred Kelley, Chairman Sefton, and Scanlon. The Norris men had called to see if it were not possible to have the rules for the primaries so changed that rules for the primarles so changed that the voting could be carried on between the hours of and 8 o clock; instead of from 5 to 10. The request was denied, and then Scanlon called ancentral to his bill. He approved it, as did sceretary Keller. Chairmar, Sefton said he thought that some action should be taken at once that would at least give the taxpayers of the District the privilege of electing the District Commissioners. "Let us get that power first and then

Wants City Government. Secretary Kelley was inclined to favor municipalities of the country, with

ALLEGED ABUSES N WANAGEWENT AT ROCK CREEK

May Vote on Subject in Cemetery Lot Owners Will Meet to Register Protest.

Suggested District First Elect Dismissal of Watchman Is the Principal Cause of Complaint.

> Aroused to action by alleged abuse n the management of Rock Creek Cemetery, about thirty of the lot owners announce their intention of holding a meeting at the Riggs House next Thursday night at 8 o clock, for the purpose of registering a protest against the action of the executive committee of the Cemetery Association in doing way with the office of watchman and nforcing such regulations as have been chiectionable to many of those was own lots in the grounds

It is stated by Col. O. G. Staples, pro prietor of the Riggs House, and one the largest owners at Rock Creek, that he strongly objects to the methods of gover ing the cemeters now in effect.

Danger of Vandalism.

Colonel Staples said: "I think it was a most unwise proceeding to do away with the office of watchman, as there are many famou tombs and much valuable property a the grounds to be protected. Vandalism I am informed, has already been pracnced there to some extent, and the com-plaints from many of the lot owner have become so serious that we must believe there is some ground for them. It will do no harm, at any rate, to look nto the matter.'

Into the matter."

The particular ground of complaint which has been trged against the cemetery authorities is the fact that not long since a large number of vases and decorations on the graves were removed. Not long since the vestry held a meeting and decided to do away with the office of watchman. Notice was sent to I. L. Barnes requesting him to send in his resignation. This Barnes has refused to do.

"I intend to make a fight in this mat many abuses committed at the ceme lot owners will support me in my posi-tion. As an individual lot owner at

One Soldier Killed in Course of Riot---Marines From Fleet Arrive in Time to Prevent Further Bloodshed.

PENSACOLA, Fla., April 16.—As the result of an attempt to arrest a squad of biuejackets from Admiral Barker's fleet, anchored in Pensacola Harbor, a riot took place tonight between three policemen and about 200 bluejackets, in which Private Banks, of the Seventh Coast Artillery, was instantly killed by the policeman's bullet.

The bluejackets had been arrested and were ready to be placed in the patrol wagon when a petty officer's whistle was blown. Immediately several hundred sailors, marines, and soldiers appeared, and while three policemen stood near the wagon the mobtushed upon the officers, who fired as they retreated. The sailors under arts and the incipient riot quelled.

MISS ROOSEVELT GIVES SUBSCRIPTION TO FUND

dent's uncle, R. B. Roosevelt, and Thomas F. Walsh were among the subscribers yesterday to the fund for the Catherine A. Carusi, widow of the late the State to overcome in their candirelief of the families of the nen killed Col. Nathaniel Carusi, to have the court caries. in the explosion on the battleship Mis. set aside her dower out of his estate. souri. The total amount now subscribed Eugene Carusi, and others, next of to the lund is \$1,501.

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MRS. CARUSI WANTS

trict Supreme Court yesterday by Mrs. are from that section, and consequently have none of the political traditions of

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The performance of Mrs. Barney's "Dream of Queen Elizabeth," which will be given at the Lafayette Theater omerow afternoon for the benefit of the families of the dead, will doubtless swell the fund by several thousand dollars.

Subscriptions are received by Paymaster General Harris, of the Navy.

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JAPANESE TAKE PORT ARTHUR?

Berlin Paper Prints a Dispatch From Its Mukden Correspondent Declaring Russia's Stronghold Has Fallen.

BATTLESHIP SEBASTOPOL'S LOSS CREDITED IN ST. PETERSBURG

Rumored That All of Czar's Naval Reserves Have Been Called Out---Bourse Closes in Depressed Condition.

BERLIN, April 17.-The "Kreuz Zeiting" prints a dispatch from its Mukden correspondent declaring that Port Arthur has fallen.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg declares that in high financial circle; there the reported loss of the battleship Sebastopol is credited. It is rumored that all of the Russian naval reserves have been called out.

JAPANESE REPORTED LANDING.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 17.-It is reported here from a semiofficial quarter that the Japanese are landing in force near Port Arthur preparatory to attempting to carry the position by assault. It is impossible to secure confirmation of this report from an official quarter, but the belief is general that it is well founded.

The bourse closed yesterday afternoon in an exceedingly depressed condition, owing to the fact that the report that the Russian battleship Sebastopol had been destroyed was credited by financiers generally.

At the war office it was said that there was no truth in the rumor, which emanated from London, but owing to the fact that the same source persistently denied the report that Admirai Makaroff had lost his life when his flagship was destroyed, the people generally are disposed to place little credence in the "official" denials.

Admiral Togo Claims Great Naval Victory

The Japanese legation last night re-ceived the following cablegram from Tokyo, under date of vesterday:

and made offensive attack. Our third fleet hardly answering, and gradually retiring, enticed the enemy fifteen miles

"Admiral Togo reports that the com-bined fleet, as previously planned, com-Rock Creek Cemetery, myself, I know of practices which have been allowed there which I think ought to be investigated."

Following this statement, Barnes has held out against the cemetery authorities, and in spite of the fact that his resignation was requested, to take effect on March 31, he is still at the cemetery. Barnes says at the meeting on Thursday resolutions will be adopted.

"The second destroyer flotilla dis-

menced on April 11 the eighth attack egraphy from the third fleet, suddenly

nayor, council, and a Representative in Congress. Nothing definite was accompilished at the meeting, but the proposition to have a vote on the subject in the primaries will be considered during the week.

The Republicans seemed to be as enthusiastic as the Democrats in the matter. Chairman Chapin Brown, of the Republican harmony cotamittee: Lee Simmons, the head of the Simmons, the head of the Simmons, the head of the Simmons of the Simmons of the Simmons of the Simmons of the Republican harmony cotamittee: Lee Simmons, the head of the Simmons of the Simm

Fire on Bluejackets Dietrich Will Decline Re-election to Senate

Nebraskan's Announcement Thought to Insure Selection of Representative Burkett. of First District, for Upper Branch.

Smato Dietrich of Nebraska will not be a candidate for re-election. The formal announcement last night of his withdrawal from the Senatorial race is believed to insure the election to the Senate of Representative Elmer Jacob Burkett, of the First Nebraska District. In a letter announcing that' he will not be a candidate to succeed himself, Senator Dietrich congratulates the Republicans of southern Nebraska on hav ing two such worthy candidates for the Senate as Mr. Burkett and William E. Andrews, Auditor for the Treasury Department, who was formerly a member of the Nebraska delegation in Congress.

Split by the Platte. Nebraska is split into political divisions by the Platte River. The country north of the river is always spoken of as the North Platte, and the country Proceedings were begun in the Dis-

No man ever came into political

its deadlock. Mr. Rosewater and Mr. Thompson withdrew from the race and Senators Dietrich and Millard were chosen as the compromise cancidates.

Entering upon his duties as governor after years of Populistic rule in Nebruska, Senator Dietrich had to appoint so many new officers that he incarred the ill will of scores of prominent Republican officescekers. Senatorial honors brought him more enemies, for he had to name postmasters in two Populist districts in his section, of the State, and disappointed officeseekers inspired the sensational charges against him which were exploded by the Senate committee report, made public a few days ago. chosen as the compromise candidates,

SERVIA'S PREMIER VISITS GRAVE OF ALEXANDER

A Compromise Candidate.

but was not considered a Senatorial pos

sibility. Finally the Legislature tired of

Governor Dietrich received a few stray